

The Honorable MARSHA J. PECHMAN

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON  
AT SEATTLE**

SHAWN MURINKO and DISABILITY  
RIGHTS WASHINGTON, a nonprofit  
membership organization for the federally  
mandated Protection and Advocacy Systems,

Plaintiffs,

v.

CHERYL STRANGE, in her official capacity as  
Secretary of the Washington State Department  
of Social and Health Services, and SUSAN  
BIRCH, in her official capacity as Director of  
the Washington State Health Care Authority,

Defendants.

NO. C19-00943-MJP

ORDER GRANTING JOINT  
MOTION TO FILE DOCUMENTS  
UNDER SEAL

The Court has considered the Parties' Joint Motion to File Documents Under Seal. The Court finds, therefore, that the documents identified in the Joint Motion may be filed under seal pursuant to Local Rule CR 5(g), and such records should not be subject to public disclosure. The public disclosure of these documents would be contrary to these state laws, but would serve no public purpose or benefit. It is, therefore,

**ORDERED:**

The Joint Motion is GRANTED and the following documents shall be filed and placed under court seal, and shall not be disclosed to the public absent further order of the Court:

1 1. Declaration of Claire Anita Brown-Riker and all attachments discussing the health  
2 information of DRW constituents S.C. and D.C.

3 2. Exhibits to Declaration of Susan Kas in Support of Plaintiffs' Response to  
4 Defendants' Motion for Summary Judgment, discussing the health information of  
5 DRW constituents S.C., E.D.L.S., R.B., C.D., J.C., and J.D.

6 Dated this 6th day of April, 2020.

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10 Marsha J. Pechman  
11 United States District Judge

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